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of prior Application No. _____ filed _____.

Anticipated Group/Art Unit: _____ or Class _____, Subclass _____.

☒ This non-provisional patent application is based on Provisional Patent Application No.
60/395,134, filed July 11, 2002.

Enclosed are:

☒ Specification (including Abstract) and claims: 20 pages.

☒ Five sheets of drawings (formal).

☒ Unexecuted Declaration (original).

☐ Name of Assignee: West Pharmaceutical Services, Inc.

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